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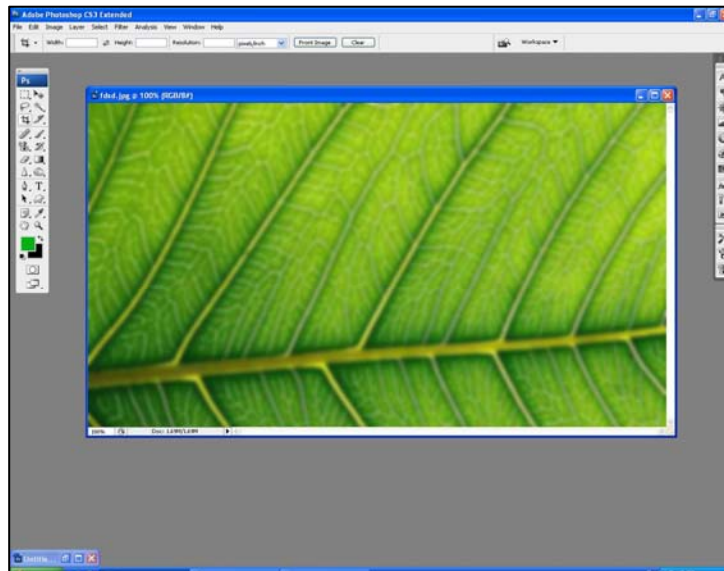
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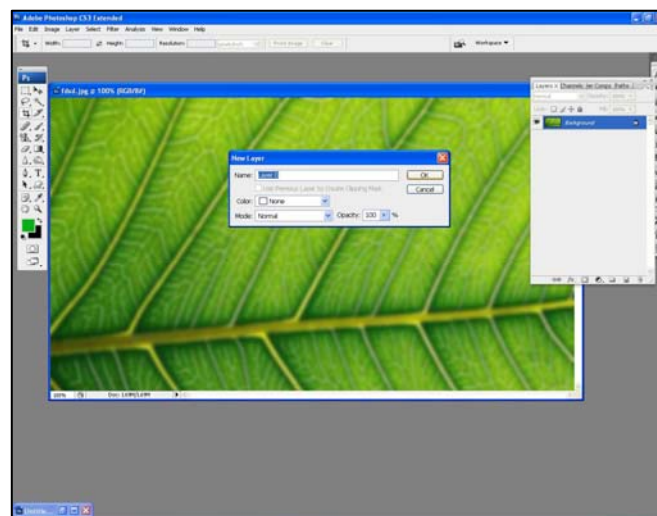
The Importance of background for portfolio development can not be denied as it has great impact on the portfolio presentation. The various tools & menus provided in Photoshop can be effectively used to create desired effect in background.

Steps In Creating Background Through Collage Work

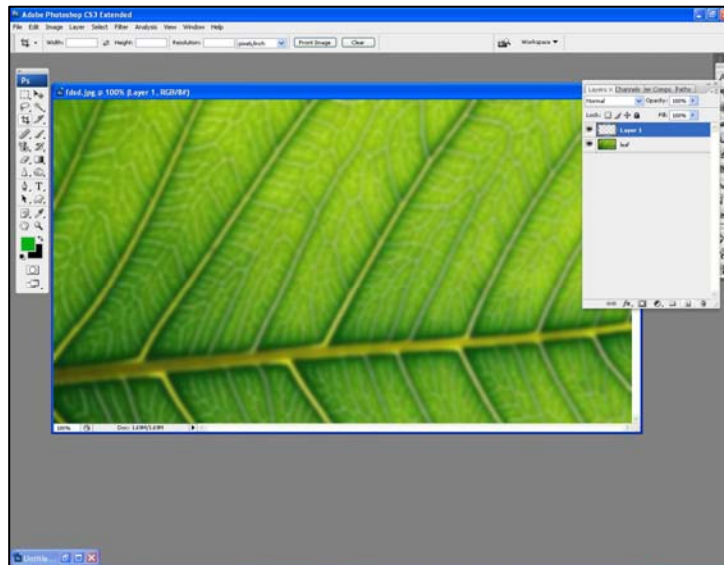
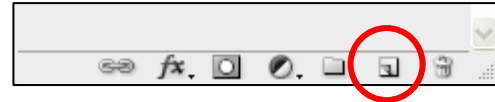
Step 1: First Open Photoshop → Go to File Menu → Open → then open Image File.





Step 2: Go to Layer → Double Click on first layer → New Layer → layer properties → Change layer Name, Layer Color & Unlock Layer.

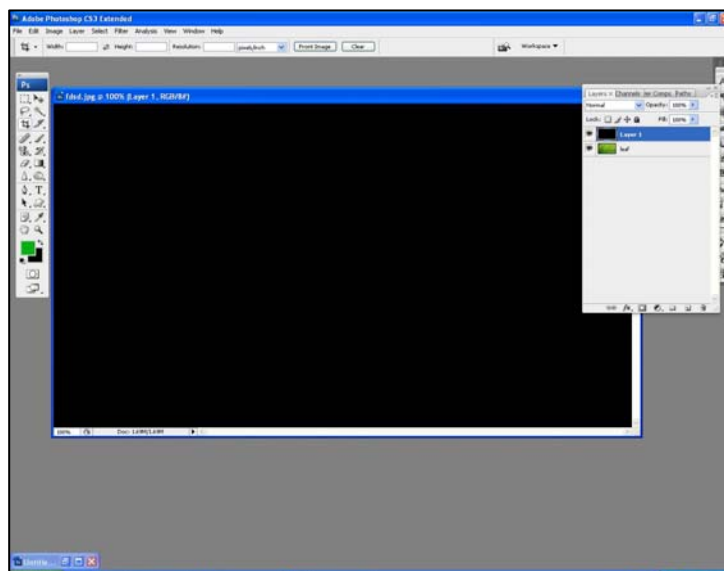


Step 3: Create New transparency layer

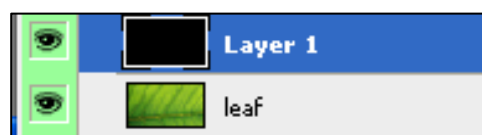


Step 4: To Fill Black Color in Layer 1

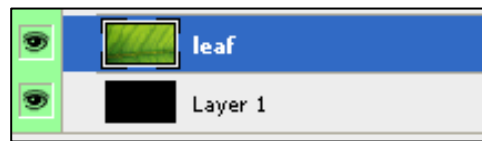
- Press D – Default Color Plate to get black in foreground  & Press X to have Black Background color. 
- Press **Ctrl + Backspace** to fill black color in layer 1.



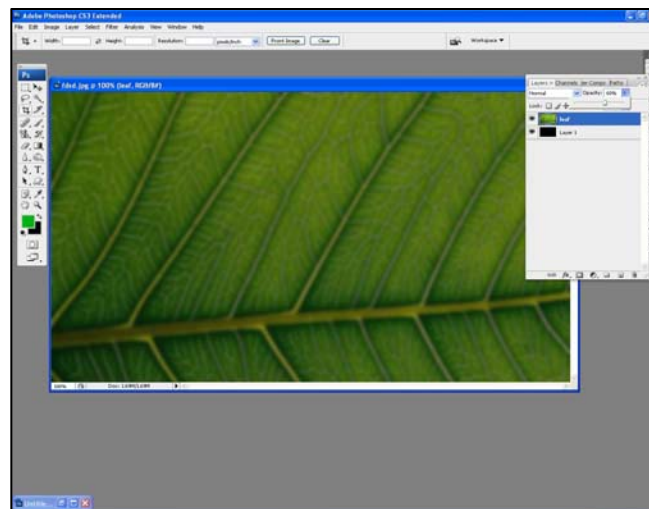
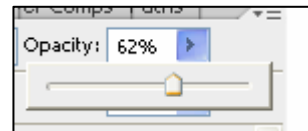
- Now in this layer option window, two layers are visible - Leaf layer & Layer 1 in Black.



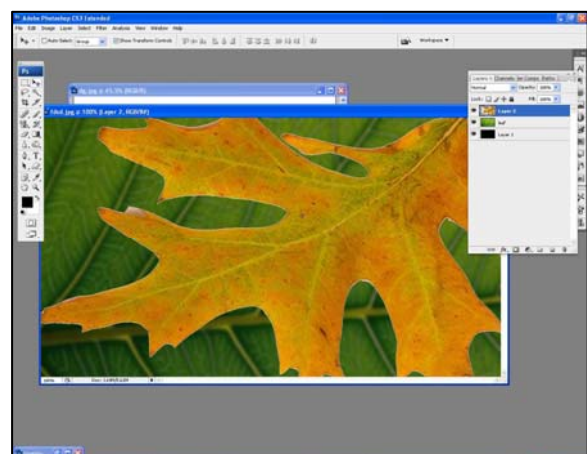
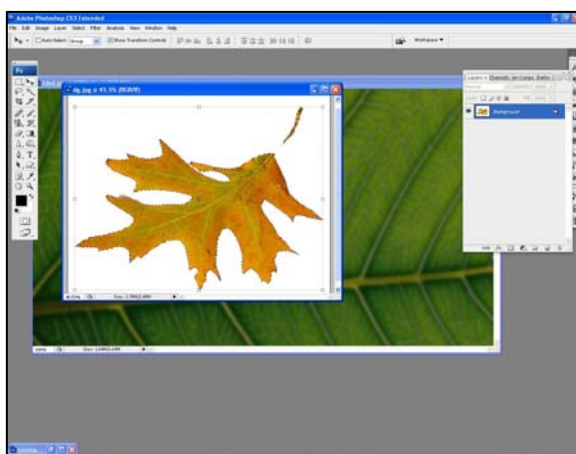
- Move Layer 1 to bring leaf layer in upper position to work with



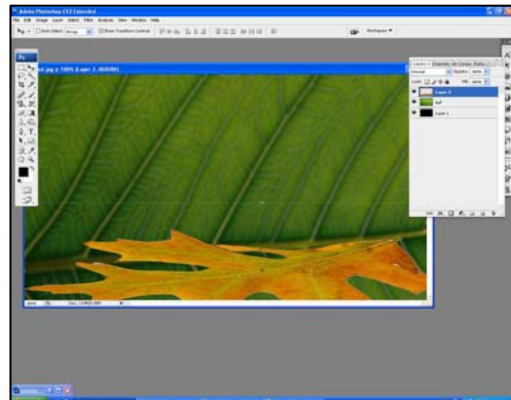
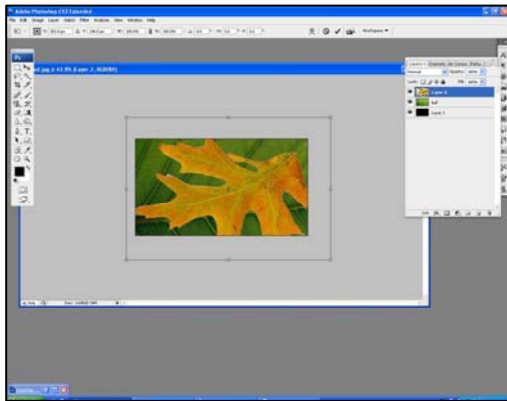
Step 5: Reduce opacity of leaf layer to 62%.



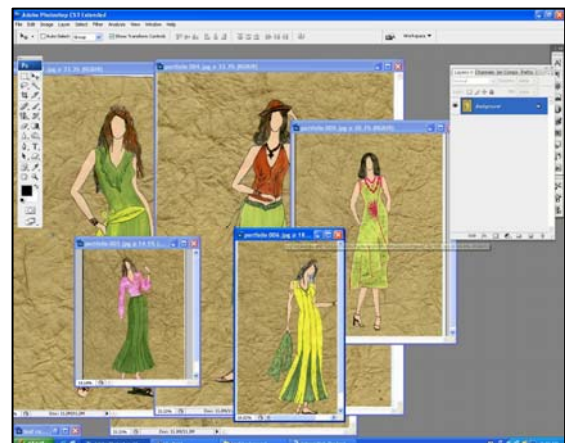
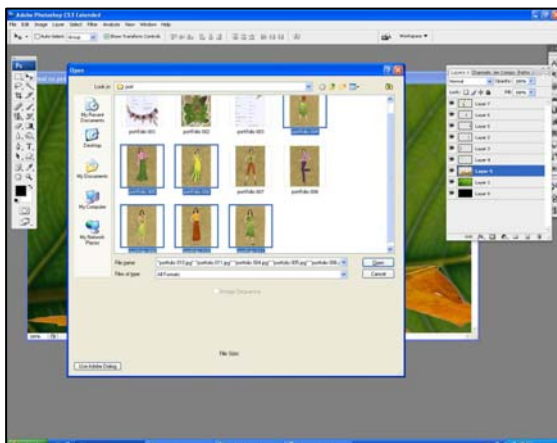
Step 6: Open another New Leaf Image → Use Magic Wand Tool → Select leaf → & Drag Leaf on working Layer.



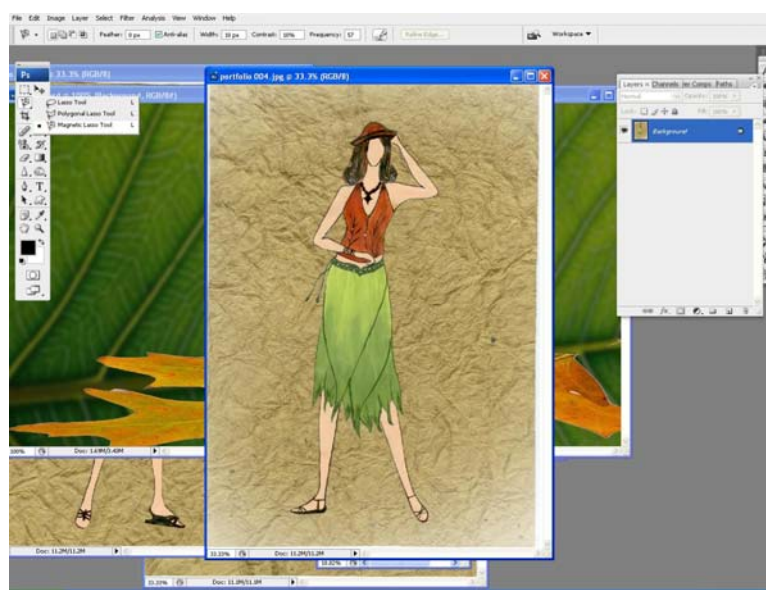
Step 7: Go to Edit Menu → Use Free Transform → & Set Leaf work position by compressing in vertical direction.



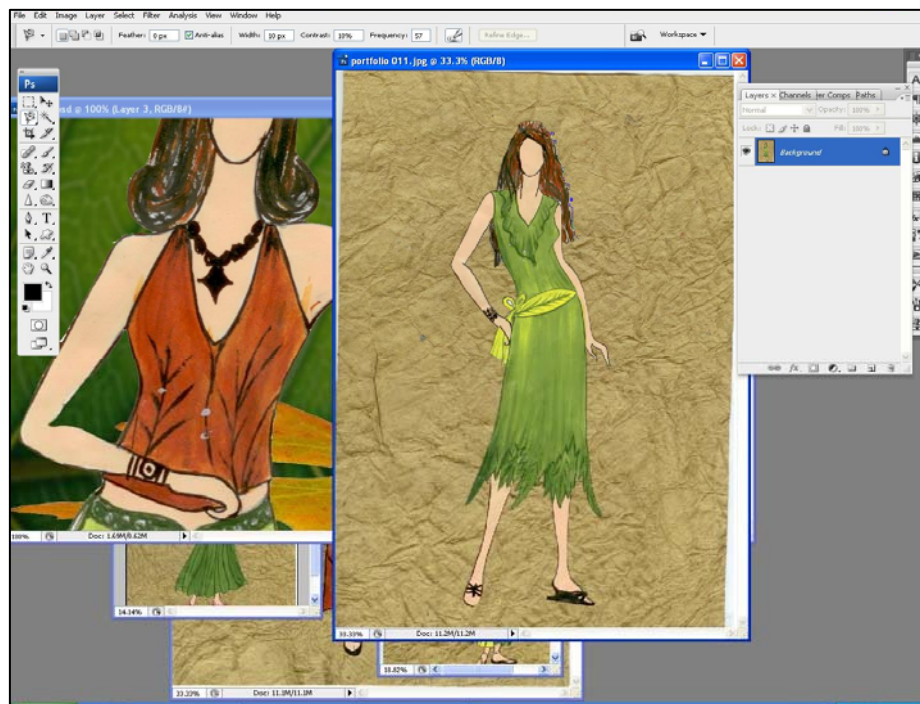
Step 8: Open New Designed Fashion Images.



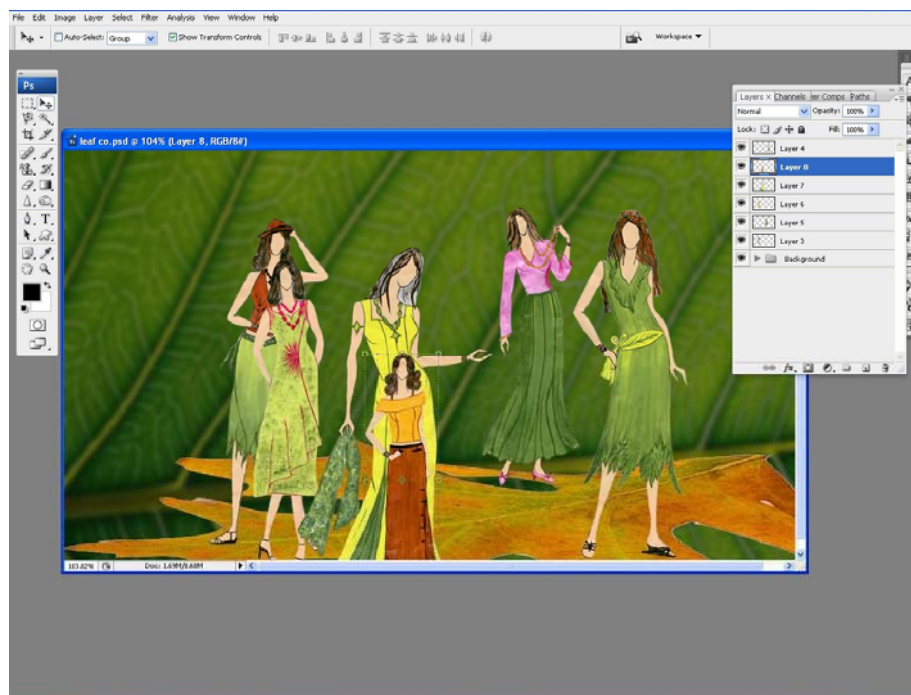
Step 9: Use Magnetic Lasso tool → Create Selection → Move tool → Select Image & drag on working layer.



Step 10: Repeat step 9 to bring another fashion image on working layer.



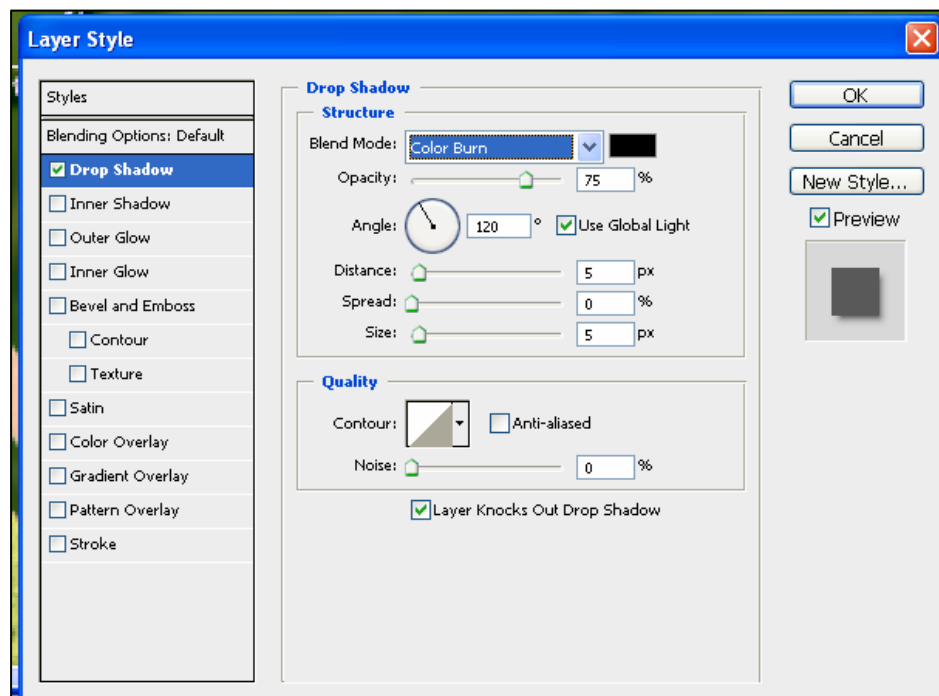
Step 11: Same work is repeated until all the Images are drag into working layer.→ Then Set all fashion images in different positions as shown below.



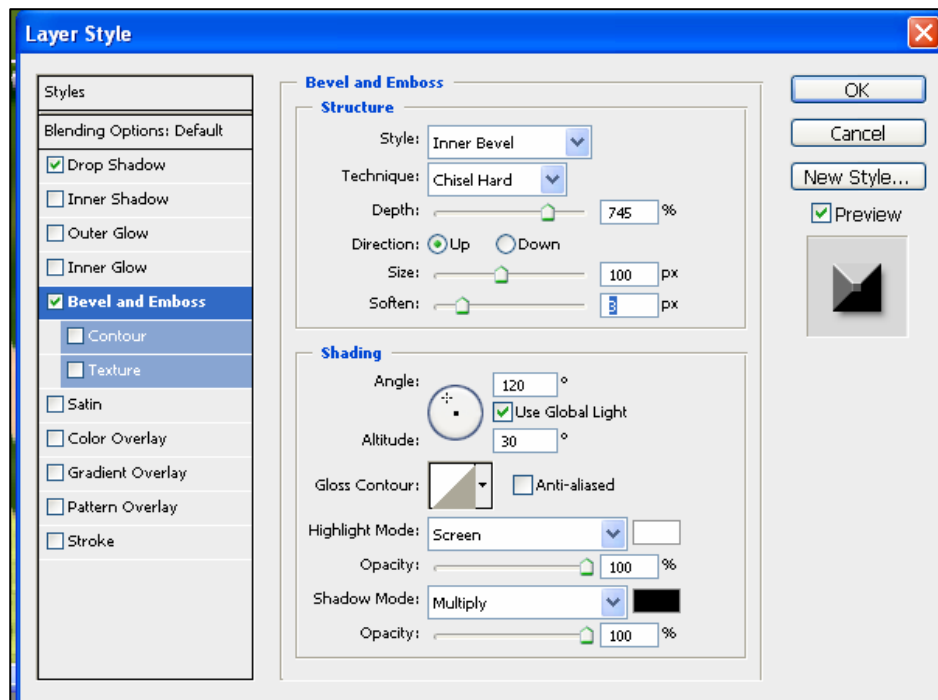
Step 12: Use Text tool → write text “THEMATIC FASHION PORTFOLIO”. Double click on the text layer → layer style → Add effect on text → Drop Shadow, Bevel & emboss → then Set Values to get desired effect.



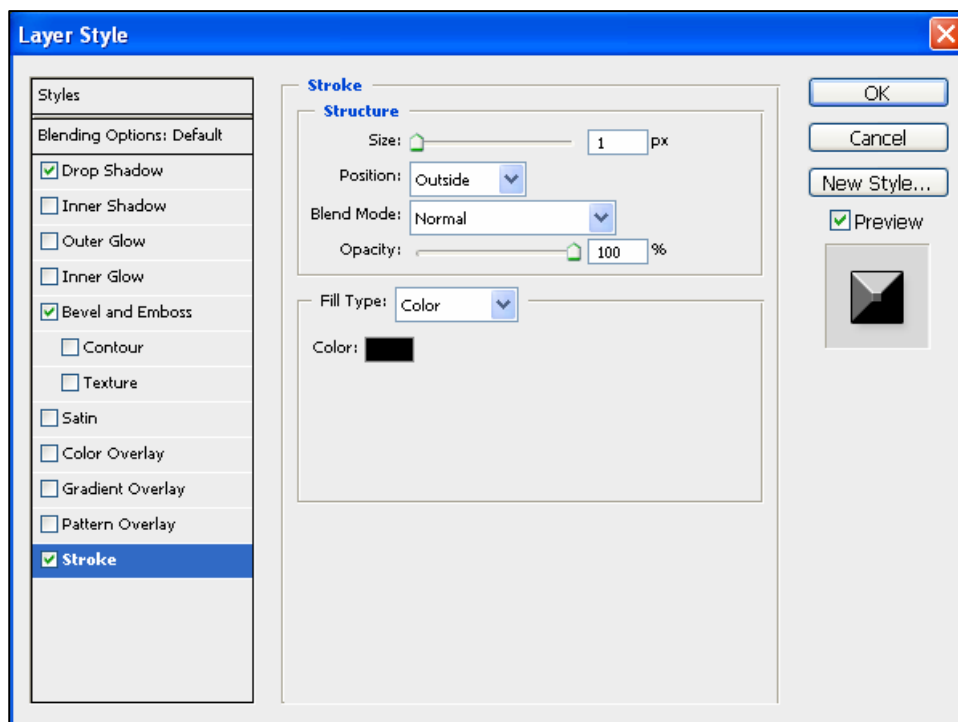
Creating Drop Shadow Effect in text:



Creating Bevel and Emboss Effect:



Creating Stroke Effect:



Step 12: Both the text layer & fashion sketch layer are grouped in set 2 and save the file. All the three background layers are grouped in set 1 as shown in layer window. Layers in set 1 are of green colors & all the fashion sketch layers in set 2 are of pink color.



Final portfolio background created using collage work

